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SUBJ: URANIUM ENRICHMENT/OFFSET

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1. REFTEL B. INDICATES EHMKE'S CONTINUING INTEREST IN ADDING TO FRG ENRICHED URANIUM STOCKPILE THROUGH PURCHASE OF SEPARATIVE WORK FROM USAEC UNDER FY 1974-75 OFFSET AGREEMENT. (POSSIBLE ADVANCE PURCHASE OF 540 TONNES SW FOR GRAFENRHEINFELD AND KRUMMEL REACTORS MENTIONED REFTEL C. APPARENTLY OVERTAKEN BY PURCHASE THIS SEPARATIVE WORK FROM USSR, AS REPORTED EC BRUSSELS 7296.)

2. IN REGARD CURRENT STATUS OF U.S. VIEWS ON POSSIBLE FRG STOCKPILE PURCHASE UNDER OFFSET, EMBASSY MAY ADVISE THAT U.S. IS PREPARED TO CONSIDER SUCH SALES WITHOUT REQUIRING DELAY  
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UNTIL CONTRACTING EXPERIENCE IN INITIAL PART OF 1974 WOULD PERMIT

MORE PRECISE DETERMINATION OF ADEQUACY OF ENRICHMENT CAPACITY TO ACCOMMODATE SHORT-TERM CONTRACTS (I.E., CONTRACTS NOT REQUIRING LONG-TERM FRG COMMITMENTS). SUCH DEVIATION FROM STANDARD AEC CONTRACTING POLICY WOULD BE MADE IN VIEW OF IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO OFFSET WHICH FRG PURCHASE OF U.S. ENRICHMENT SERVICES WOULD MAKE. PRECISE DETAILS OF ANY CONTRACT WOULD, OF COURSE, BE DETERMINED ONLY THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS, FOLLOWING FRG INDICATION THAT IT WAS PREPARED, IN PRINCIPLE, TO PURCHASE SPECIFIC AMOUNT UNDER FY 1974-1975 OFFSET AGREEMENT. KISSINGER

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